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TAGS: AORG, UNESCO (M'BOW, AMADOU MAHTAR)

SUBJECT: ENDORSEMENT OF M'BOW FOR DIRECTOR GENERAL

1. DERRADJI, ALGERIAN MINISTER UNESCO, PAID PERSONAL CALL ON PERMREP TO EXPRESS THANKS FOR U.S. SUPPORT M'BOW AND TO INFORM US THAT GOVT OF ALGERIA HAD ALSO JUST ANNOUNCED ITS FORMAL SUPPORT M'BOW. DERRADJI, WHO IS ALSO CHAIRMAN OF GROUP OF 77 AND OF NON-ALIGNED UNESCO GROUP, INFORMED PERMREP THAT HE HAD PAID PERSONAL CALL ON MAHEU TO INFORM HIM OF THE DECISION OF THE GOVT OF ALGERIA. DERRADJI STATED THAT MAHEU INDICATED DEFINITELY THAT HE WILL WITHDRAW HIS CANDIDACY IN A DECLARATION TO THE EXBD PROBABLY SOME TIME AROUND THE MIDDLE OF JUNE.

2. COMMENT: MAHEU'S WITHDRAWAL WILL MAKE THE ELECTION ONLY A FORMALITY. M'BOW WILL LIKELY BE ELECTED AROUND NOVEMBER L5 AS MAHEU'S CONTRACT WILL EXPIRE ON NOVEMBER L4.

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